

December 29, 2009

**NOTICE OF BENCH REQUEST
(Due by Tuesday, January 5, 2010)**

RE: *WUTC v. Puget Sound Energy, Inc. – General Rate Case*
Dockets UE-090704, UG-090705 (*consolidated*)

TO ALL PARTIES:

The following bench request (BR No. 2) is directed to Puget Sound Energy.

In order to properly evaluate testimony filed in a ratemaking proceeding, the Commission requires electronic spreadsheets that illustrate results of operations and rate base, as well as every adjustment made to per-book figures to demonstrate the conversion from per-book results to adjusted results of operations. The Commission requires all formulas to be fully accessible, including any which support revised revenue requirements exhibits or supplemental revenue requirements exhibits.

Bench Request No. 2: Please provide electronic versions of the rebuttal exhibits for John Story (Exhibits 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 23, 24) and Michael Stranik (Exhibits 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20) in Excel workfiles with all formulas linking the exhibits to each other intact. For example: Exhibit JHS-15 Page 15.04 needs to link to Exhibit JHS-15 page 15.02 and 15.03E.

Sincerely,

DENNIS J. MOSS
Administrative Law Judge

cc: All Parties